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CENTRAL FAX CENTER****APR 11 2006**Patent Application no. 10/686,533
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL/FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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In response to the Office Action dated 01/13/2006 in connection with the above-identified
Application, please consider the following:

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATIONS

Amendments to the specifications begin on page 5 of this paper.

REMARKS

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.